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Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b), mailed January 11, 2002 there is enclosed herewith:

- (a) A combined Declaration and Power of Attorney executed on behalf of the inventors (2 pgs.);
- (b) An Assignment executed on behalf of the inventors including cover page (3 pgs.);
- (c) Fee authorization in the amount of \$1,626.00 to cover the filing fee for large entity (\$740.00); additional claims 28 @ \$18/ea. (\$504.00); additional independent claims 3 @ \$84/ea. (\$252.00); and surcharge for late filing of oath or declaration for large entity (\$130.00);
- (d) Fee authorization in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the filing fee for the assignment;
- (e) A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted;

(f) A return postcard to acknowledge receipt of these materials. Please stamp and return this postcard to the undersigned.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.

 Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$756.
 - \$504 for 28 total claims over 20.
 - \$252 for 3 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1626.

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